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## **REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

The Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment indicates that Applicant has deleted one or more characters which were not previously found in the second limitation of Claim 1. In response Applicant has deleted the comma, as well as its deletion marks, which were found in the Applicant's prior response.

The Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment also indicates that Applicant did not underline "new" in the last limitation of Claim 1. In response Applicant has underlined the word "new".

The Applicant did not locate any other errors.

Although the box was checked that the "Listing of claims does not include the text of all pending claims (including withdrawn claims)", a check of the Application shows that there are no withdrawn claims and that the text of all pending claims is present.

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